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- 1) Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98 applicants enclose a second Form PTO-1449, copies of European Search Reports issued on June 1, 2004 and July 21, 2004 in a counterpart European application, and copies of the references AD to AJ cited thereon.
- 2) In view of the waiver of the requirement (see 1273 OG 55, August 5, 2003), we are not enclosing a copy of the cited U. S. Patent (Reference AC).
- 3) The undersigned attorney hereby certifies that each item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement, as seen from the European Search Report dates of June 1, 2004 and July 21, 2004.
- 4) The present references AC to AJ are in English and require no discussion.
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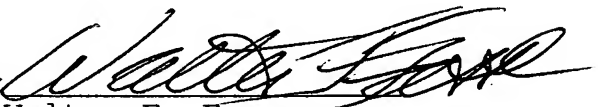
obviousness when combined with another document). Thereby, a concise explanation of the relevance has been provided (see M.P.E.P. §609).

- 6) The Examiner is requested to consider all references of record, return an initialed copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 and ensure that all references of record are printed on any patent issuing from this application.
- 7) Favorable consideration and allowance of claims 1 to 26 are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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**FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

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